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TO AMEMBASSY SINGAPORE

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SUBJECT: MAJOR PROJECT: UNIVERSITY HOSPITAL AND MEDICAL
FACULTY FOR U. OF S. DEVELOPMENT UNIT

1. COMMERCE HAS BEEN APPROACHED FOR ASSISTANCE BY
SKIDMORE OWINGS AND MERRILL (SOM) RE SUBJECT PROJECT.
SOM STATES THAT IT IS IN COMPETITION WITH AN AUSTRALIAN/
ENGLISH GROUP TO WIN CONTRACT FOR DESIGN SERVICES OF 1100
BED HOSPITAL AND MEDICAL SCHOOL. DECISION WAS
EXPECTED TO BE MADE MONDAY, MAY 20, BY MEDICAL FACULTY. SOM
REPORTS THAT THIS DECISION HAS BEEN DELAYED DUE TO PRESSURE
PUT UPON GOS BY AUSTRALIAN GOVERNMENT AND THAT DECISION
NOW IN HANDS OF PRIME MINISTER. FURTHER, UNDERSTAND
SOM IS ONLY U.S. FIRM INVOLVED.

2. STATE AND COMMERCE REALIZE THIS TYPE SITUATION SEEMS
VERY UNUSUAL FOR SINGAPORE. IN VIEW SIZE OF PROJECT
APPRECIATE EMBASSY INVESTIGATE TO ASCERTAIN VALIDITY OF
INFO PARA 1. IF INFO CORRECT, WHATEVER REPRESENTATIONS
POST FEELS IT CAN MAKE TO SHOW GOS THAT U.S. GOVERNMENT IS
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VERY INTERESTED IN PROJECT WILL BE APPRECIATED.

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